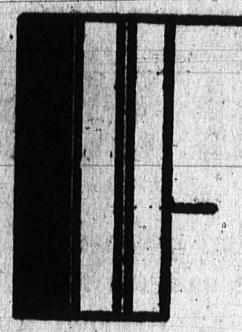
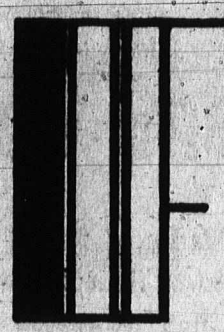
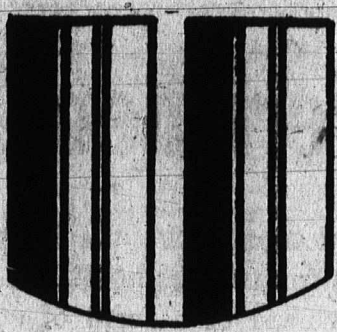
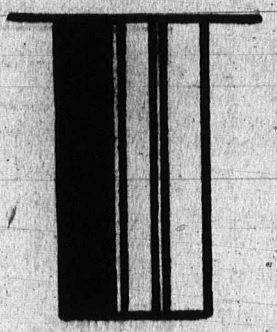
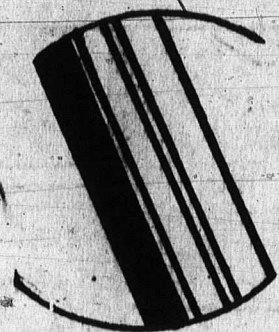


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# Columbian Players Present Comedy

## Marlowe Plays At Promenade In Fieldhouse

Johnny Marlowe, his trombone and his orchestra will be on hand the night of May 15 to provide dancing delight for the couples attending St. Joseph's senior prom. Marlowe's orchestra, currently playing in Chicago, is one of the finest dance bands in the metropolitan area, having filled successful engagements at the Blackstone, the Drake, the Morrison, the Stevens, and Edgewater Beach hotels, besides playing for dances at the Lake Shore, Oak Park, Saddle and Cycle, and South Shore Country Clubs.

This year, a new pattern will be followed in decorating the fieldhouse. Herman Reas, in charge of decorations, and ably assisted by Steve Zabrecky and Charlie Burkart, has plans for a novel setting which will add much to the romantic atmosphere of the evening. While full details of the scheme have not as yet been minutely worked out, an outline of what is planned can be presented at this time. There will be a gaily-striped awning under each of the six windows, below which will be chairs and palms. The orchestra, with a light background, will occupy a dais in the center of the dance floor. White bespangled cloth, gracefully draped over ceiling and walls, will give a fairyland appearance to the entire scene, a soft, lavender lighting prevailing. The two dressing rooms, tastily decorated in cerise and pale green, will be used as refreshment salons.

Jim Dolan, Junior Class president and chairman of the prom, has announced that the price of bids will be \$5.00. They will go on sale in the cafeteria within a few days.

Students who failed to get measured for a tuxedo are asked to contact Joe Pavletich. Measurements will be sent to Hammond, and all suits should arrive on May 14, the day before the prom.

Orders for flowers will be taken in the cafeteria, sometime next week. The committee will try to make arrangements for the delivery of flowers, the afternoon of the prom. Orders should be placed with the committee early.

### PLAYS FOR PROM



JOHNNY MARLOWE



When Edward Peple's comedy, "A Pair of Sixes," is presented on the stage of the College Theatre, next week, Collegeville veterans will be seen in leading roles. Shown here, l. to r., are: Tom Reagan, Clarence Burwell, Helen Feldhaus, Charles Riche, and Mary O'Neill.

## Collegeville to Fete Physics Professor, Silver Jubilarian

The Rev. Christian Staab, professor of physics and mathematics at St. Joseph's, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood, May 13. Father Staab, who has been teaching on the campus intermittently for 13 years, was ordained May 13, 1923 at St. Charles Seminary, Carthage, O. He was the first to be ordained in the Precious Blood Community from his home parish, Our Lady of Good Counsel, in Cleveland, O.

Following his ordination, Father Staab taught physics and mathematics at St. Joseph's for 10 years prior to being assigned chaplain at St. Bernard's Hospital, Chicago. Before returning to Collegeville in 1945, the jubilarian served as pastor of St. Francis' Church in Fife, Wis., and taught at Central Catholic High School, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Father Staab will celebrate a solemn high mass in the presence of the Most Rev. John G. Bennett, bishop of the diocese of Lafayette, at 10 a.m. on the day of his anniversary. The Rev. Sebastian Kramer, for 29 years pastor of Father Staab's home parish, will assist the bishop. The Rev. Edward Siegman, professor of Sacred scripture at St. Charles Seminary, and the Rev. Robert Koch, assistant pastor of the Cleveland parish, will act as deacon and subdeacon of the jubilee mass.

A dinner for the invited relatives and friends will be served at 1 p.m. in the college refectory. Among the guests at the dinner will be Mrs. Mary Staab, 79-year-old mother of the celebrant; a brother, Mr. William Staab, and two sisters, Mrs. Anthony Bandel and Miss Josephine Staab. Numerous classmates and friends have also been invited.

The Columbian Player's production, *A Pair of Sixes*, will be presented in the evening in honor of Father Staab's anniversary.

## Five Delegates At Congress

Five St. Joe students attended the fifth national congress of the National Federation of Catholic College Students, held at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel, in Philadelphia, Apr. 21-25. Victor Toepe, St. Joseph's senior delegate of the NFCCS, Ken Harber, junior delegate, John Lynch, chairman of the National Press Commission, Tom Carmody, chairman of the Regional Press Commission, and Joe McGrath, observer, were among the more than 1,000 delegates, observers, and visitors who were present at the convention.

Charles Hogan, a sophomore at Xavier University, Cincinnati, was elected national president of the NFCCS to succeed Jim Dougherty, of St. Joseph's of Philadelphia, who will assume his duties as a representative of American students at Pax Romana, Fribourg, Switzerland. Tom Brickley, St. Vincent's, Latrobe, Pa., Bill Dietrich, St. Benedict's, Atchison, Kans., and Herb Ybarra of Loyola University in Los Angeles, were elected vice presidents. Robert Maher, St. Francis' College, Brooklyn, was chosen treasurer.

Victor Toepe aided in the preparation of resolutions on universal military training and selective service. The Congress voted overwhelmingly against any form of universal military training, but accepted a modified form of selective service in its resolutions.

John Lynch presided over the National Press Commission panel, at which a review of the year's activity of the Radio Acceptance Poll was given and plans laid for next year's activity. At an executive council meeting, St. Joseph's of Emmitsburg, Md., proposed plans for a National Radio Commission, a part of which would be the Radio Acceptance Poll. The executive council voted 37-4 to keep the NPC as presently organized.

## Group Stages "Pair of Sixes" May, 9, 13 in College Theatre

May 9, Mother's Day, and May 13, the occasion of the Rev. Christian Staab's silver jubilee as a priest, have definitely been set as the dates for the Columbian Players' presentation of Edward Peple's comedy, "A Pair of Sixes," according to the Rev. Lawrence Heiman, who is directing the play.

The cast, containing many veterans of the Collegeville stage, has been in rehearsal for nearly three weeks and is rapidly rounding into shape. Charles Riche, a junior from Jeffersonville, Ind., and Clarence Burwell, Kalida, O., junior, are carrying the male leads. Both men have appeared in two previous Columbian productions. They played top roles in *The Ten Little Indians*, a 1947 production, and in *Mr. and Mrs. North*.

The feminine leads are being carried by Miss Helen Feldhaus of Rensselaer, and Mrs. Richard Scharf, wife of St. Joseph's head football and baseball coach. Miss Feldhaus is likewise a seasoned performer, having been seen in *The Tavern* in 1946, in *The Miser*, a 1947 presentation, and in *Ten Little Indians*, also in 1947.

Chief supporting parts are being played by Tom Reagan, Fred Frisk, Bill McDonald, Miss Mary O'Neill, of Goodland, and Miss Clara Gabel, St. Joseph's dietician. Reagan, Frisk, and McDonald have all had experience on the auditorium stage while the latter two are newcomers. Reagan, who returned to Collegeville in January after a season in the army, carried a role in the 1946 presentation of *The Tavern*. Frisk will be remembered for his portrayal of the Italian in *Mr. and Mrs. North*. McDonald was the detective in the same play.

The action of the play centers around two business partners, George B. Nettleton and T. Boggs Johns, who cannot get along. The furor around the office causes business to drop. As a solution the men's lawyer suggests a game of poker, the loser to become the servant of the other. Nettleton wins with a pair of sixes. It is stipulated that if either of the parties involved in the agreement discloses any details he will forfeit \$5,000. From this point things begin to happen fast and furious. The antics to take place after the game of poker should make for one of the finest comedies to be seen on the college stage in recent years.

## Liturgy Club Publishes Letter

Following up the liturgical display at St. Joseph's during the N.F.C.C.S. Regional Congress in February, the St. Benedict's Liturgy Club is publishing a regular newsletter, carrying information on liturgical feasts of the year. The first edition of "Exemplum Liturgiae" covers the solemn feasts in May—the Ascension, Pentecost and Corpus Christi—and the prominent feasts of Saints.

It is the hope of the Club that every college student in the Fort Wayne Region to whom the letter is being sent will thus become more familiar with the liturgy of the Church and be better able to participate in it.

## Radio Artist Will Appear In Concert

Conrad Thibault, celebrated American baritone, will be featured on the Speckbaugh Memorial Theatre Series when he appears in the college auditorium, May 19. One of the outstanding vocalists of our time, Mr. Thibault is well known to all those who hear his weekly broadcasts on the "American Melody Hour" and the "Manhattan Merry-Go-Round."

This popular baritone follows to the Collegeville stage, Miss Jean Watson, Canadian contralto, who completely captivated her audience when she presented her recital here, April 22. Miss Watson sang 17 selections, all of which were well received by her audience. Especially appreciated were Schubert's, "Ave Maria," "Il est doux, il est bon," by Jules Massenet, "Alleluja," by Mozart, and Charles Loewe's, "Edward". Miss Watson was recalled for five encores.

The Canadian vocalist was accompanied on the piano by George Truvillo, whose two numbers at intermission were very well done. An encore, Alec Templeton's, "Mozart Matriculates," was loudly acclaimed.

## Black Faces, Banjos Coming Here, May 24

St. Joseph's glee club, under the direction of Mr. Daniel Connor, assistant professor of music, will present a minstrel show in the college auditorium, May 24. Although no definite program has been arranged by Mr. Connor, the entertainment will follow the usual minstrel style. The Overtones Quartet and a dance band selected from the college band will also entertain.

Witticisms will be bandied back and forth between the interlocutor and the two end men. Don Horst, Calumet City, Ill. sophomore, will be featured as the interlocutor. The two end men have not been selected.

The show is not as yet completely formed and Mr. Connor will welcome any additional talent. The program is not restricted to glee club members. Anyone who possesses special talents and would like to appear in the minstrels, need only apply to Mr. Connor in the Music Department.

### CONDOLENCE

STUFF joins with the faculty and the entire student body in an expression of deepest sympathy to freshman Robert Folen whose father died recently in Flint, Mich.



# Do You Want Student Government?

Do you want your own student government? Many of us do, and soon as we can have it. A movement has been started on the campus to initiate such a program for us here at St. Joseph's. The school authorities have been approached and they admitted the need of a form of student government. Letters and questionnaires have been sent to other colleges and universities broadly covering the whole country, from Fordham in New York to U.S.C. in Los Angeles, from Wisconsin U. at Madison to Loyola in New Orleans, to obtain information regarding their form of student government. When all information has been gathered, it must be studied; then a plan will be drawn up.

Naturally, only a little can be done during the rest of this semester, but we can get started. We must get behind this project and keep it well in the foreground. The faculty must be convinced, first, that student government is needed; and second, that we want it and will back it. And then, when the faculty votes the measure into effect, next semester, the machinery can be rapidly set up and put into motion as soon as possible.

Next fall, a representative group from the student body will meet with a group of faculty members to start drawing up the constitution and by-laws of the new government. We shall have, for instance, students in positions on the disciplinary board. But discipline will not be the only function of our student government; it will be a gripe-board that can initiate action on legitimate complaints and will give the students' voice in some phase of the college government.

But first things first! The main thing now is to pump this idea and talk it up big. Get on the bandwagon! If you have any ideas, let us have them. This is a great opportunity for us fellows now at St. Joe's and for those who will follow us. Drop a line to Students' Government, c/o STUFF, and we shall try to answer complaints. But, more important, all suggestions and straight backing are welcome!

## Pax Romana

Pax Romana is a world union of university students and of Catholic intellectual and cultural leaders, for the purpose of:

- 1) creating among them the true spirit of universal charity;
- 2) enriching, by mutual contacts, their Christian and humane formation;
- 3) developing their activities on a national and international level through mutual fraternal aid;
- 4) furthering the spread of Christian thought, especially in the world of ideas and of culture;
- 5) coordinating the contribution of Catholic intellectual circles to international life according to Christian principles; under the motto: PAX CHRISTI IN REGNO CHRISTI.

Pax Romana is, therefore, composed of two autonomous organizations: one, of university students under the title: **International Movement of Catholic students**; the other of intellectual and cultural leaders, under the title: **International Catholic Movement for Cultural Affairs**. There is a Cardinal Protector of Pax Romana appointed directly by the Holy Father, and the general Ecclesiastical Assistant of Pax Romana is, except for a particular case, the Ordinary of the diocese in which the office of Pax Romana is located. At present, headquarters of the movement is in Fribourg, Switzerland.

American college students are affiliated with Pax Romana in this way: The National Federation of Catholic College Students (NFCCS) is the officially recognized federating body for United States students attending Catholic colleges; the Newman Club federation, for those Catholic students attending state schools. These two bodies are joined at the national level in the Joint Committee for Student Action (JCSA), which in turn sends representatives and executives to Pax Romana, the international organization.

Three general trends are noticeable in student life, today:

- 1) Few students really participate in extra-curricular activities;
- 2) Students join clubs only for what they can get out of them. There is little desire on the part of members

to share their talents and special knowledge with others;

- 3) Few of those who join clubs seem willing to sacrifice time and effort to keep them active and vital. (A girl student at Vanderbilt sums up the situation in this way: the student interest in the various clubs centers around the obtaining of keys, pins and a long list of clubs by one's name at graduation).

Getting down to "brass tacks," there are three basic causes for these trends:

- 1) Little conception of what a complete education is; students fail to see that participation in a few carefully chosen organizations will take them out of their narrow specialized fields, and help to round out their education;
- 2) A driving obsession to get through school, so "life can begin." To students so obsessed, only lectures and class assignments are worth spending time on. They do not see student life as a profession to be lived now.
- 3) No sense of responsibility among members of organizations toward the organization; it's all take, and no give.

To remedy this situation it might be suggested, among other things, that students foster within themselves a lively curiosity about "what they can do" to know more about, and to help in the work of their local clubs, national federations, and international movements, like Pax Romana.

A simple twenty-five-cent subscription to THE FORUM will bring worlds of information. You've got to know, before you can intelligently act; and to know, you've got to read. Here's something well worth your quarter.

## Gag Busters...

Matt Marshall, the city slicker from the deep South, is fast becoming a wizard with the cards. The other day in a small game in the Rec. Hall, he passed openers, drew one card, and hit a full house. He then employed that coy, poker-face of his, and bet a measly dollar in a nickel-limit game.

Red Wallace, one of the outstanding candidates for the golf team, was slightly humiliated, last weekend, when Charles Gerst's kid brother, just turned 15, came up from Evansville to shoot a 104 and still take Red's measure.

Dave Terveer, who has been teaching in the Rensselaer High School, got honorable mention in a local item, recently. It seems one of Dave's pupils is quite wrapped up in him. Look out, Dave! Those bobby-soxers are hard to shake off.

Joe "Rackets" Albers has found another racket in card selling. We feel we are doing Joe a favor by printing his price in this column. He charges only six cents. A card, that is.

Tom Smith has been calling his girl "furnace" for fear that she might go out on him.

"I Had 'em on the Go" Burton has declared himself undisputed king of pinochle players in Rec Hall. Now he will consider the academic year a success, if he can learn to play poker.

The House of Blue Lights, the soft, throbbing music of the Riviera, and the helping pen of a friend were enough to add Don Tesmond to the growing list of "Dear Johns." Janie doesn't like him anymore.

Someone is rushing the season for Andy Davey. Last week, he received a package containing a set of beautiful ear-muffs. But he cannot sport them about the campus, because they are too large for him.

The list of Terre Haute Terrors is growing. At last count nine of the Pumas were bitten by the bug and that number is going to promenade to the Woods. They say the beautiful sights on the campus have a telling effect on one's senses.

Father McCarthy is disappointed. Placing his one proud molar under his pillow at night, he awoke in the morning to find not the customary "half-buck" but a couple of tardy term papers. His good humor has returned, however, and he is now reported to be going to "pop" for about ten tickets to the Shakespearean play. How about free beer and pretzels!



I sure get a lot out of that Spanish Class!

## What Do You Think?

### Here Are Views of a Few

A question which directly concerns many of America's college students today, is that of universal military training. This question, has been brought to the fore because of the struggle which is going on between the free nations of the world and Communist Russia. Although there are numerous veterans among America's college students, there are likewise many who have not spent some time in the service of their country, and are consequently wondering if their education may be interrupted by several years in one of the branches of the armed service. To find out how St. Joe students think on the matter, this question was put to a number of them, "What is your opinion regarding a universal military training program?"

Bill Ryan, Shelby, Mich., freshman, thinks there is a definite need for some sort of training program. Said Ryan, "I don't like the idea of losing a year of college, but if there is going to be another war, I'd just as soon get ready for it now."

Kokomo, Ind., freshman, Dave Coady, said, "I think it is almost an absolute necessity in these days of social and governmental instability." Coady, however, doesn't think that the period of training should interrupt a person's college education. To substantiate his belief, he stated, "Leadership in intellectual fields is desperately needed, and UMT would not facilitate the growth of such leadership."

"A year or so in the armed

service would hurt no one," asserted freshman Paul Ryan of Fort Wayne. "The army does not change the man, but it brings out the qualities which are in him, be they good or bad," he elaborated.

Universal military training is unnecessary in the eyes of Ed Glavin, Chicago freshman. Glavin thinks it unfair to take two years from a man's life when there is no need for it. "If however, we are to fight Russia, draft the men, well and good, but do not sacrifice a student's time when there is no need," declared the Chicagoan.

Al Murphy, a sophomore from Chicago, approves a universal military training program, especially now when a threat of war exists. "Most young fellows would profit from a year or so in service. It would teach them the values of life."

Sophomore Joe Moore, of East St. Louis, Ill., heartily approves a training program, but makes the provision, "Fellows should be taken upon completion of high school before they begin college work." Moore disapproves of drafting college men, "unless, of course, there were grave danger of war."

All of the students queried seemed to favor a universal military training program as long as it doesn't interfere with a person's college education. Some questioned the necessity of such a program at the present time, but all agreed that if war would come, America should be prepared.

## STUFF

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# Pumas in Quest of Third Victory

## Frawley's Extra Point Boot Nets Blues 7-6 Football Win

Butch Jones' Blues spotted Jim Puett's Reds a 6-0 first quarter lead in the final 1948 spring football scrimmage May 1, but the Blues came back with a touchdown seven minutes before halftime, to sneak a 7-6 victory out of the spirited scrap.

The Red team wasted no time in pushing over a T.D., when left-end Roy Stone broke into the Blues' backfield to snag a backward pass of Dick Milkint that was intended for Blue back, Bob Lamkin. Stone tucked the ball under his arm and sprinted 65 yards for the first score. Lou Milani's end run for the extra point was short of pay dirt.

It wasn't until the second quarter that the Blues were able to score. A sustained drive from the middle of the field put the ball on the Red's two-yard line. John Frawley then took a backward pass from Augie Kauffmann, skirted right end, and broke into the end zone to tie the score. Frawley's kick from placement put the Blue squad out in front, 7-6.

Lamkin, Cliff Beaver, Tony Phillips, Frawley, and Milkint did some fine scat-backing in the Blue backfield, while Milani, John Fedorik, Kauffmann, and Vince Alfieri worked well from a single-wing in the Red backfield.

Tom Tysall, John Lucas, Al Murphy, Stone, Al Miesch, Al Moran, and John Andrick were outstanding with their rugged line play throughout the contest.

## St. Joe Handed Second Setback By Wabash Nine

St. Joseph's baseball team lost its second game in succession April 20, as Wabash clubbed the Pumas by a score of 11-6 on the Collegeville diamond. The visiting nine banged out 17 hits for 11 runs off three St. Joseph pitchers.

Hank Knight, Lou Vasquez, and George Bauer worked on the hill for the Pumas, with Knight being charged with the loss. Ray Schuldt, Wabash left fielder, pounded a home run in the third inning with one man on base. Cy Bohnney was the Pumas' leading sticker, getting a single and a double in five times at bat.

Wabash	AB	R	H	E
Milligan, rf	4	4	2	1
Joyce, 3b	5	1	4	1
Spier, 2b	5	1	3	0
Roman, cf	5	2	2	0
Schuldt, lf	5	1	3	0
Paligraf, lf	1	0	0	0
Dooley, c	5	1	1	0
Young, ss	6	1	2	0
Luster, lb	3	0	0	0
Clones, p	4	0	0	1
Ferber, p	1	0	0	0

Totals 44 11 17 3

St. Joseph's	AB	R	H	E
Melyon, 2b	5	1	1	1
Riede, ss	4	0	0	1
a-Quinn	1	0	0	0
Bihney, 3b	5	0	2	1
Kuhn, lb	3	0	1	0
Barrientos, lf	2	0	0	0
Leahy, lf	1	0	0	0
Greif, c	4	1	1	1
Moore, cf	3	1	1	0
Chmeleck, rf	3	2	1	0
Angermeier, rf	1	0	0	0
Knight, p	1	0	0	0
b-Broderick	0	1	0	0
Vasquez, p	0	0	0	0
Bauer, p	2	0	0	0

Totals 35 6 7 4

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## Wabash Beaten In 13-12 Duel; Leahy Stars

A big eight-run sixth inning outburst from the booming bats of the St. Joe Puma nine helped the Collegeville sluggers to hang up their first win of the season, 13-12, over Wabash, at Crawfordsville, Ind. The Scharfmen had previously dropped an 11-6 contest to Wabash.

It was a terrific 14-hit attack that aided St. Joe in breaking a three-game losing streak. Buck Bohnney, Jerry Leahy, and Keller Riede hopped on Wabash hurling to chalk up three hits apiece. Leahy slapped out doubles in the sixth and eighth innings, and Bohnney also doubled in the seventh.

The Pumas were on the short end of a 6-1 score when they disposed of Wabash starting pitcher, Dan Ferber, in the sixth frame. Doubles by Maurie Angermeier and Leahy, singles by Alex Melyon and Bohnney, coupled with four Wabash errors, accounted for the rally.

"Rags" Berger started on the mound for St. Joe, but had to be relieved in the sixth inning by Hank Knight who went the rest of the way. Berger was credited with the win.

St. Joseph's	AB	R	H	E
Melyon, 2b	4	2	2	0
Angermeier, rf	3	3	1	0
Bohney, 3b	6	2	3	2
Kuhn, lb	6	1	0	0
Greif, c	6	0	1	0
Chmeleck, lf	4	1	1	1
Moore, lf	1	0	0	0
Leahy, cf	5	3	3	0
Riede, ss	5	0	3	0
Berger, p	4	1	0	0
Knight, p	1	0	0	0

Totals	AB	R	H	E
Wabash	45	13	14	3
Milligan, rf	4	2	2	0
Joyce, 3b	4	2	1	0
Spier, 2b	4	3	1	0
Ronan, cf	5	3	3	1
Schuldt, lf	6	0	3	0
Dooley, c	3	0	0	1
a-Lankton	0	0	0	0
Paligraf, c	1	0	1	0
Young, ss	4	1	1	1
Luster, lb	2	0	0	2
Gray, lb	2	1	1	0
Ferber, p	2	0	0	0
Clones, p	1	0	0	0
b-Yount	1	0	0	0
Tate, p	0	0	0	0

Totals 39 12 13 5

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## Cinder-Squad Seventh In Rose Poly Relays; Valpo Next Opponent

The track and field squad of St. Joseph's College managed to rack up one point in the Rose Poly Relays, held at Terre Haute, Ind., April 24, nosing out the host school, Rose Poly, by half a point, for seventh place in the eight-team meet. Wabash College was winner of the 1948 meeting of the Invationals.

The Puma relay squad of Jerry VanWinkle, Rocco Colletti, Ron Malec, and Dave Walsh garnered the point in the 440-yard relay in which they placed fourth.

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## Cy Bohnney Leads Puma Sluggers In Batter's Box

Cy Bohnney, St. Joe third baseman leads the Puma batsmen after five games with an even .400 average. Cy has blasted out 10 safeties in 25 trips to the plate, to gain top-spot honors. Alex Melyon, diminutive lead-off man, is hitting .389, and Bud Greif is batting at a .316 pace. Keller Riede, Clarence Kuhn, and Dick Chmeleck round out the select .300 circle. Chmeleck and Maurie Angermeier have accounted for the Cardinal and Purple's only four-masters. Team averages are as follows:

PLAYER	A.B.	H.	PCT.
Bohney	25	10	.400
Melyon	18	7	.389
Riede	12	4	.333
Greif	19	6	.316
Kuhn	23	7	.304
Chmeleck	10	3	.300
Angermeier	14	4	.286
Leahy	12	3	.250
Barrientos	8	2	.250
Bauer	8	2	.250
Moore	11	2	.185
Dolan	5	0	.000
Quinn	3	0	.000
Delahanty	1	0	.000
Berger	10	0	.000
Knight	2	0	.000
Team ave.	191	50	.262

## Big "Hank" and Little "Rags" Handle St. Joseph's Hill Chores

HENRY "HANK" KNIGHT, one of the Big Three that composes the St. Joe mound corp, carried a perfect college pitching record into the 1948 campaign. Hank had a (3-0) record during the 1947 season, gaining wins over Indiana State, Valparaiso, and Great Lakes.

Knight graduated from Lane Tech of Chicago in 1942, and spent three years in the service. He played baseball for the Atlantic City service team, which served as opposition to the Boston Red Sox in the spring of 1945.

The 200-pound pitcher first gave his weight at 145-pounds, but later retracted this statement. It seemed that the recent bad weather hadn't given Hank the best of conditions that are usually needed to keep a waistline trim.

Heinie, who also played football at St. Joe in 1942 and '46, thinks the team may be a little short of power at the plate. "We have a good defensive outfit," said Hank, "if the offensive can continue as it did in the Wabash game, we ought to be pretty tough for the rest of the season."

## Meet Valpo's Crusaders Today After Mauling Indiana State

St. Joseph's baseball team, victor in its last two outings, is scheduled to meet Valparaiso U. this afternoon at Valpo, in a twin-bill. The Pumas, who now own a (2-3) record appear to have their shillelachs well shellacked, after the 16-7 drubbing they handed Indiana State here, April 30. The Puma punchers may give the Crusader ace, "Satch" Gierke, quite a bit of trouble this afternoon, should he toe the rubber for the upstate nine.

## Tennis Team Beaten By Indiana State 6-1

The St. Joe tennis team, coached by the Rev. Edward Roof, began its 1948 season on the wrong foot, April 30, by dropping a 6-1 match to the Indiana State netmen. The Pumas are to engage the Valparaiso netsters today at Valparaiso, Ind.

Joe Hawkins, freshman from Indianapolis, accounted for the only St. Joe point, by defeating Marshall of State, 6-3 and 6-3. Duane Klueh, Austin, Hopkins, and Turnock took single matches for the Sycamores.

Klueh defeated Tom Brell by a score of 6-3, and 6-4. Austin took St. Joe's Ed Pluth 6-3, 6-4. Hopkins bested Ben Danko 6-0, 6-1, and Turnock won from Tom Schweikert, 12-10, 6-1.

Indiana State also took both double matches as Klueh and Austin teamed up to whip Brell and Hawkins, 7-5, 6-1, while Marshall and Turnock bested Pluth and Schweikert, 6-2, 3-6, and 6-2. The Pumas courtmen will meet State again on May 22, when Father Roof takes his squad to Terre Haute in quest of revenge.

At any rate, the St. Joe sluggers really had their hitting shoes on when they blasted 15 hits, good for 16 runs and victory No. 2 of the young season against State. It was a wild and woolly contest with the Sycamores pulling a triple play on St. Joe in the second inning, and the Pumas coming right back to pull a triple steal in the third frame. The Scharfmen wiped out a 2-0 deficit at this stage of the game by scoring five runs, and they were never headed from there on in.

George Bauer was the first hurler to go the full nine innings, this year, as he scattered 13 State hits and contributed two safeties (one a double) to his own team's attack.

St. Joe blasted Ted Szymanski and Max Lynch from the mound before Dick Sullivan took over the hill duties in the seventh inning. The Pumas showed no mercy on the big Irishman, and proceeded to merry-go-round the bases in the eighth inning for a big eight runs that iced the ball game.

Cy Bohnney and Clarence Kuhn smacked four hits each, and Maurie Angermeier clouted one for the circuit in the sixth. Jerry Leahy made a beautiful catch in the seventh inning, bouncing off a tree in deep left field for the putout.

Indiana State	AB	R	H	E
Koz, 3b	5	1	1	0
Rzeszewski, ss	5	2	3	1
Pugh, rf	5	2	1	0
Miller, rf	0	0	0	0
Reschan, lb	3	1	2	0
Brisko, lb	0	0	0	0
Deardorf, c	5	0	2	2
Bennany, 2b	5	1	2	0
Chew, cf	5	0	1	0
Baran, lf	5	0	0	0
Szymanski, p	1	0	0	0
Lynch, p	2	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	2	0	0	0
a-Torrence	1	0	1	0

Totals 43 7 13 3

a-singled for Sullivan in the 9th

St. Joseph's	AB	R	H	E
Melyon, 2b	3	2	2	0
Angermeier, rf	4	3	2	0
Bohney, 3b	5	3	4	0
Kuhn, lb	6	2	4	1
Leahy, cf-lf	4	0	0	1
Chmeleck, lf	0	0	0	0
Moore, cf	3	1	0	0
Riede, ss	3	2	1	1
Quinn, c	2	1	0	1
Bauer, p	5	2	2	0

Totals 35 16 15 4

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# Basketball Teams Feted at Banquet; President Lucks, Albert Wilson Speak

The Very Rev. Henry A. Lucks, president of St. Joseph's, and Mr. Albert Wilson, coach of Brook High School's sectional champs, were the principal speakers when the 1947-'48 Puma basketball squad was feted at a testimonial banquet, April 26, in the college refectory. Members of the "A" and "B" intramural league championship teams, Drexel's inter-hall tournament group, and the Volleyball squad were also present at the banquet.

Five members of the varsity squad, Charlie Barton, Ray Patterson, Bill Krodell, Chet Kusek, and Frank Stone, were awarded sweaters with their "Js". Joe Jansen, Paul Bauman, and Tom Hoffman were presented monograms.

After Father Lucks had congratulated the varsity team and the various intramural squads for their efforts throughout the year, Mr. Wilson praised the intramural program in Collegeville which makes it possible for almost 90% of the students to participate in some form of athletics. The Brook mentor stated that the intramural program upholds the democratic principles on which our country is founded.

Art Cosgrove, head basketball coach, expressed his gratitude to all the boys who played for him this season and announced that Ray Patterson, who led Puma scorers during the past campaign, had been elected captain of next year's aggregation. Mr. Cosgrove promised an interesting season in 1948-'49, disclosing that an extremely rugged schedule is in the making.

Other speakers at the dinner were the Rev. Edward Roof, St. Joseph's athletic director, Mr. Richard Scheiber, publicity director of the college, who served as toastmaster, and Mr. Fred Jones, the student intramural director.

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## Chmeleck Hits Circuit-Clout As Pumas Lose

Chicago University handed the St. Joseph Pumas their third straight baseball defeat, April 23, by a score of 6-1. Mel Lackey, the Chicago hurler, limited the Cardinal and Purple to four hits.

"Rags" Berger was the St. Joe starting pitcher but lasted only five and one-third innings, being relieved by Hank Knight in the sixth frame in which Chicago scored four runs to insure the victory.

Berger was tagged for one run in the third inning, but the Pumas bounced back in the fifth to knot the count. Dick Chmeleck blasted one of Mel Lackey's pitches off the side of Gaspar Hall in deep centerfield for the only St. Joe run.

Bill Gray, Marion Govorchin, and John Sharp punched out three hits apiece for Chicago. Alex Melyon, St. Joe second baseman, got two of the Pumas four hits. Berger was tagged with the loss.

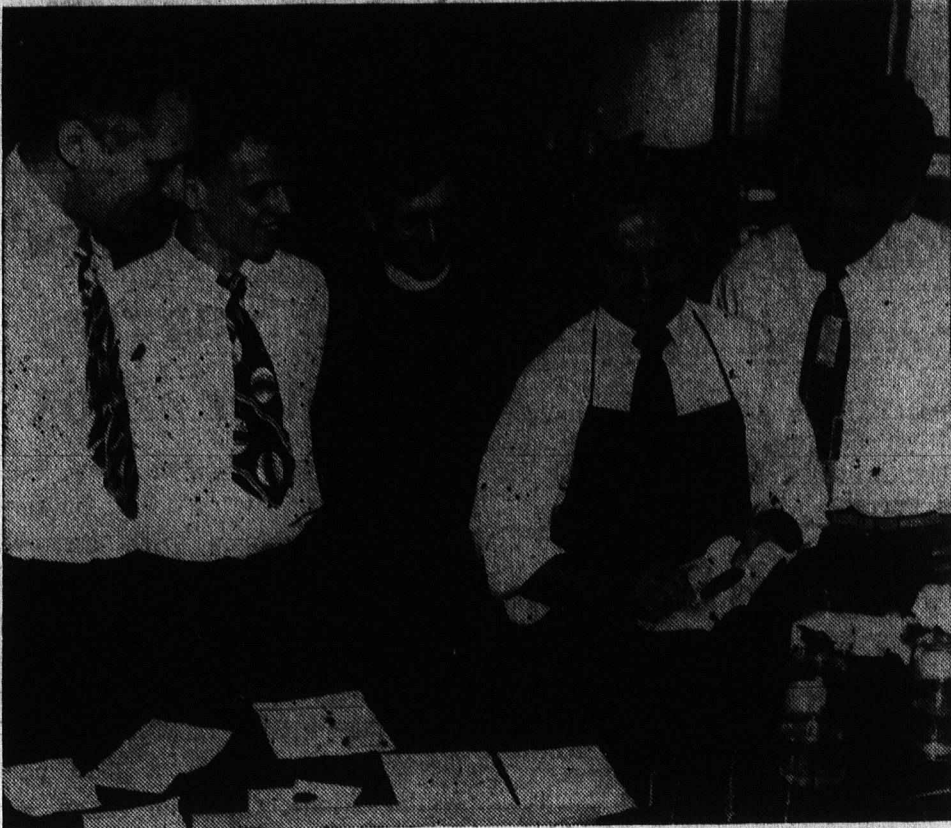
Chicago U.	AB	R	H	E
Carson, rf	4	0	0	0
Feder, rf	0	1	0	0
Santini, lf	4	1	0	0
Freeark, 2b	4	0	2	0
Gray, 1b	4	1	3	0
Donahue, cf	6	1	2	1
Sharp, ss	5	1	3	1
McKinney, c	4	0	0	0
Govorchin, 3b	4	1	3	0
Lackey, p	3	0	0	0

Totals	37	6	13	2
St. Joseph's	AB	R	H	E
Melyon, 2b	3	0	2	0
Angermeier, rf	3	0	0	0
Bohney, 3b	4	0	0	2
Kuhn, 1b	4	0	0	0
Greif, c	4	0	1	0
Barrientos, ss	2	0	0	1
Dolan, ss	1	0	0	0
a-Delahanty	1	0	0	0
Moore, cf	1	0	0	0
Leahy, cf	2	0	0	0
Chmeleck, lf	3	1	1	1
Berger, p	2	0	0	0
Knight, p	0	0	0	0
Bauer, p	1	0	0	0

Totals 31 1 4 4  
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Chicago U. 0 0 1 0 0 4 0 0 1—6  
St. Joseph's 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1

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"Science as applied in the home," was the theme of the Science Day exhibit, held in Science Hall, April 25, under the auspices of the Albertus Magnus Society. Pictured here is pre-med student Tom Brell, demonstrating how a spot may be removed from a piece of cloth. Interested onlookers are: l. to r., Mr. Russell Dean, high school instructor, Remington, Ind., Ralph Marke, Father Albert Wuest, moderator of the AMS, and Edward Taphorn.

## Local Grad Commends Students on Politics

Today's college students are showing great interest in political affairs, writes Vincent J. Giese in an article appearing in the May issue of CONCORD magazine. Mr. Giese is a graduate of St. Joseph's College.

The author was graduated from St. Joseph's in 1945, and received his master's degree in journalism from Marquette University last February. He is now a student at the University of Notre Dame, where he is working for his Ph.D. in political science.

Commenting on the great interest of today's college students in national affairs, Mr. Giese writes: "the manifestations of student concern with current political developments are encouraging. They confirm the ability of students to bridge the gap between classroom theories and world-disturbing reality. They are a real step toward wisdom. Most of all, they reveal a growing social consciousness on the part of those who very soon will give direction to society."

The author is managing editor of CONCORD, a national student magazine, published by the Young Christian Students organization.

## Hopeful Authors Await Decisions On Best Entries

The more literary-minded of St. Joseph's met an important deadline last Monday, May 3, when the Alumni Essay Contest and the Mary Pursley Creative Writing Contest both came to a close. The final day had originally been scheduled for May 1, but was postponed because of the absence of Father Rufus Esser from the campus. Father Esser is supervisor of the competition, and said that entries for the creative essay contest were satisfying in number, but that there seemed to be a lack of campus formal essayists.

Three judges, probably to be selected from the faculty, are yet to be chosen. The date upon which the winners will be announced has not been named, but after they have been selected, a prize of \$50.00 will go to the best entry in the Mary Pursley division, while first and second prizes of \$25.00 and \$15.00 will be presented to the writers of the best formal essays.

Last year's winners were Thomas Jordan, now a student at St. Louis U., with a short story, titled "Three to Make Ready," and Robert Burns, now a Junior at St. Joseph's, with an essay, "The Interlopers."

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## Curtain Club To Stage Play In Auditorium

The Curtain Club will stage Thomas E. O'Connell's radio play, "Interim" on Sunday, May 9, under the direction of Joseph Martin who has chosen the following cast:

Malenko.....Jerome Zogran  
Witnesses.....John Barga,  
Dan Lueuw, Bob Sabatino, John  
Vey, Jim Schroeder  
Priest.....Don Isenbarger  
Warden.....Norb Adelman  
Steve.....Bill O'Connell  
Three Boys.....Tony Perrino,  
Lou Barga, Rudy Kapitan  
Bartender.....Hubert Miller  
Tony.....Jim Wohlwend  
Doctor.....Jim DeVille  
Davis.....Fred Lang  
Bob.....Mike Vaughan

"Interim" is the story of a convicted criminal, his recollections of childhood, and his reactions to life. Malenko, as a child, received all the bad breaks, and became one of the hardest criminals; he met only one person who seemed to understand him, but this understanding came too late in life to save him from the electric chair.

During the current year the Curtain Club has presented several plays calling for large casts, and thus an opportunity has been given to practically all members to appear in at least one play.

It is planned to stage "Life With Father" as the final presentation of the semester. The play is now being rewritten for an all-male cast.

## Chicago Club Gives 2nd Dance

The Knickerbocker Hotel, in Downtown Chicago, has been selected as the site for the Chicago Club dance to be held June 4. This will be the club's second dance since its inauguration late in 1947.

Bob Rueble and his orchestra, popular in and around Chicago, will play at the dance. The price of bids, as announced by James Mangan, president of the club, will be \$4.00 a couple.

## Ind. State Linksters Give Rough Tee-Party

The St. Joseph's Golf team was to meet Valparaiso yesterday in an attempt to ring up its first match victory of the year. The Puma linksters dropped their first match of the season to Indiana State, April 30, by a score of 16½ to 4½.

Tom McNeerney and Dick Ward accounted for all the St. Joe points. McNeerney shot a 78 to account for 2½ points, while Ward carded an 82 for one point. As a team, both golfers accounted for the other point.

Bill Cason, Charlie Gerst, and Red Wallace failed to grab a point from the Sycamore golfers.

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